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1. JANUARY 30 PRESS REPORTS THAT DURING REFERENDUM CAMPAIGN
SPEECH JANUARY 29. PRESIDENT MARCOS TOLD AUDIENCE OF BARANGAY
LEADERS THAT FILIPINO GROUP IN THE US HAD BEEN PRESSING US
CONGRESS TO STOP AID TO PHILIPPINES ON THE GROUNDS THAT
MARCOS "DOES NOT ENJOY THE PEOPLE'S USPPORT AND IS A DICTA-
TOR." PRESIDENT SAID SAME ELEMENTS HAD BROUGHT SIMILAR
CHARGES BEFORE UN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION AND THAT HE HAD
RECEIVED LETTER FROM SECY. GEN. WALDHEIM "ASKING FOR THE
TRUTH." PRESIDENT ADDED THIS IS WHY HE HAD TO GO TO "THE
TRUE LEGISLATIVE AND PARLIAMENT OF THE PEOPLE" TO SEEK THEIR
SUPPORT AND VOTE OF CONFIDENCE IN THE FEB 27 REFERENDUM.

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2. POLCOUNS ASKED AMBASSADOR MABILANGAN, ROMULO'S SPECIAL ASSISTANT, ABOUT STORY MABILANGAN CLAIMED NOT TO HAVE SEEN IT BUT SAID GOVERNMENT ROUTINELY RECEIVES INQUIRIES AND LETTERS ON HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION FROM ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL.

3. COMMENT: WE WERE NOT AWARE THAT WALDHEIM HAD SENT MARCOS LETTER ON HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION HERE AND WONDER WHETHER IT MIGHT BE SIMPLY PRO FORMA TRANSMITTAL OF PROTEST LETTERS, ETC. FROM GROUP SUCH AS AMNESTY. APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION USUN MIGHT HAVE ON PURPORTED WALDHEIM LETTER, INCLUDING COMPLETE TEXT, IF AVAILABLE. SULLIVAN UNQUOTE. BENNETT

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